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Please add the following claims

33. (new) A candy sucker article, comprising:

a container configured for containing an edible product, said container including multiple compartments accessible when said container is opened, said container being split into multiple compartments by a dividing wall;

a closure removably connected to said container, said closure including an upper lid provided with a flange;

at least one candy sucker connected to and extending upwardly from said closure; and

a removable cover connected to said closure, said removable cover for covering and protecting said at least one candy sucker, said cover including an inner sleeve, said flange of said upper lid cooperating with said inner sleeve of said cover to provide a connection therebetween; and

at least one edible product stored within said multiple compartments of said container, said at least one edible product being accessible when said at least one closure is opened, whereby a user can dip said at least one candy sucker into said at least one edible product.

34. (new) An article according to claim 33, including a snap fit connection provided between said upper lid of said closure and said removable cover.
35. (new) An article according to claim 33 wherein said closure is removably connected to said container by a threaded connection.
36. (new) An article according to claim 33, wherein said container includes a removable seal located between said closure and said container.
37. (new) An article according to claim 35, wherein said container includes a removable seal located between said closure and said container.
38. (new) An article according to claim 33, including multiple candy suckers associated with the candy sucker article.
39. (new) An article according to claim 33, wherein said container includes multiple compartments located side-by-side.
40. (new) An article according to claim 38, wherein said candy suckers are connected to said closure.

41. (new) An article according to claim 40, wherein said candy suckers are spaced apart, and said container and said closure are configured so that said candy suckers can be dipped substantially simultaneously into said multiple compartments of said container.

42. (new) An article according to claim 33, wherein said multiple compartments are simultaneously accessible when said container is opened.

43. (new) An article according to claim 42, wherein said closure includes a protrusion, and said candy sucker is molded around said protrusion.

44. (new) An article according to claim 33, wherein said candy sucker includes a candy portion mounted on a stick portion.

45. (new) An article according to claim 44, wherein candy sucker is directly connected to said closure.

46. (new) An article according to claim 45, wherein said closure includes an aperture configured to connected with a free end of said stick portion of said candy sucker.

47. (new) An article according to claim 33, including different edible products stored within different compartments of said container.

48. (new) An article according to claim 33, wherein said at least one edible product is one selected from the group consisting of candy, candy powder, candy granules, candy particles, candy liquid, candy gel, candy slurry, cookie, cookie crumbs, cookie powder, food particles, food powder, flavored powder, flavored granules, chocolate powder, vanilla powder, strawberry powder and food matter.

49. (new) An article according to claim 38, wherein said candy suckers are different flavors.

50. (new) An article according to claim 47, wherein said candy sucker is a different flavor from said at least one edible product stored within said container.

51. (new) An article according to claim 33, wherein the candy sucker article displays a sports theme.

52. (new) An article according to claim 51, wherein said sport theme includes one selected from the group consisting of golf, basketball, baseball, football, hockey, ice hockey, field hockey, soccer, lacrosse, swimming, racing, race car driving, NASCAR race car, water polo, tennis, and other sports.

53. (new) An article according to claim 33, wherein said candy sucker article displays at least a portion of a character.

54. (new) An article according to claim 53, wherein said character is one selected from the group consisting of an animal character, human character, cartoon character, story book character, novel character, children's book character, theme character, movie character, advertisement character, celebrity character and entertainment character.

55. (new) An article according to claim 33, wherein said candy sucker displays a vehicle selected from the group consisting of motor vehicle, automobile, car, truck, pickup truck, sports utility vehicle (SUV), bus, van, boat, jet ski, personal water craft, ski mobile, rocket, airplane, glider, jet, bicycle, skate board, scooter, motorcycle and, mini bike.

56. (new) A candy sucker article, comprising:

a container configured for containing an edible product, said container including multiple compartments selectively accessible when said container is opened, said container having an outer wall tapering inwardly from top to bottom, said container is split into multiple compartments by a dividing wall;

at least one closure connected to said container, said closure being a lid provided with a flange;

at least one candy sucker connected to and extending upwardly from said closure;



a removable cover connected to said lid, said removable cover having an inner sleeve configured to cooperate and removably connect with said flange of said lid, said removable cover extending upwardly from said lid and configured to cover and protect said at least one candy sucker; and

at least one edible product stored within at least one of said compartments of said container.

57. (new) An article according to claim 56, including a snap fit connection provided between said lid and said removable cover.

58. (new) An article according to claim 56, wherein said lid is removably connected to said container by a threaded connection.

59. (new) An article according to claim 56, wherein said container includes a removable seal located between said closure and said container.

60. (new) An article according to claim 58, wherein said container includes a removable seal located between said closure and said container.

61. (new) An article according to claim 56, including multiple candy suckers associated with the candy sucker article.

62. (new) An article according to claim 56, wherein the candy sucker article includes multiple closures configured to be selectively opened.
63. (new) An article according to claim 56, wherein said edible product is one selected from the group consisting of candy, candy powder, candy granules, candy particles, candy liquid, candy gel, candy slurry, cookie, cookie crumbs, cookie powder, food particles, food powder, flavored powder, flavored granules, chocolate powder, vanilla powder, strawberry powder and food matter.